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ON THE WAY HERE

The Sandoval and Alvarado Left
Washington Yesterday

Will Be Overhauled and Repaired
at This Navy Yard.

The Gunboats Will Make Several Stops
at Ports on the Way Here.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The gunboat Machias has arrived at Livingston, Guatemala to look out for the welfare of certain American citizens said to be in trouble in that section. The Buffalo has sailed from Singapore for the Suez canal on her way to New York, bringing home officers and men from Dewey's fleet whose terms have expired. The captured Spanish gunboats Alvarado and Sandoval which have been lying at the Washington navy yard, sailed today for Portsmouth, New Hampshire, where they will be overhauled and thoroughly repaired. The vessels will probably make one or two stops on the way up the coast. The transport Dixie with the Third Immunes on board left Sagapelo, sixty miles below Havana. It is not known when the troops will be landed. There are two suspicious cases of sickness on board. Assistant Secretary Allen of the navy department has addressed a letter to the governors of states having naval militia giving the time when the naval militia enters into practice and giving instructions which the officers and men will be required to observe. This relates mainly to drill and target practice and other regulations to improve the efficiency of the service.

GENERAL FLAGLER BURIED.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The funeral of the late Brigadier General Flagler, chief of ordinance, took place this afternoon. The interment was at Arlington cemetery. Among those present were President McKinley, Adjutant General Corbin and a number of Military officers.

OUTLAWS CAPTURED.

SANTIAGO, April 3.—Four bandits, among them Antonio Nunez, a noted desperado, were captured yesterday, after a lively fight with men of the 9th Immune regiment. A battle also took place in Holman between bandits and men of the 2d Immunes. Two outlaws and one soldier were killed.

WHAT AILS MANY MEN.

There is no need to describe the peculiar weakness with which so many men are afflicted—you all know what it is—it may have been caused by overwork, indiscretion or inheritance. How to cure it is what interests you. You may have taken many kinds of medicine and found no relief—that proves nothing except that you have been working on wrong lines. A regular physician who has seen thousands of similar cases ought to understand yours. Such a physician is Dr. Greene, the leading specialist in nervous and chronic diseases, the discoverer of Dr. Greene's Nervura. You can consult Dr. Greene without cost, personally or by letter at his office, 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass. If it is not convenient for you to call, write Dr. Greene a letter—you will receive a prompt answer explaining your case. Remember that consultation and advice are free.

OFF FOR CAVITE.

Maj. W. F. Spicer, U. S. M. C., and family left on Monday afternoon for far away Cavite where Maj. Spicer is to command the marines there. They were given a warm send off by all the navy yard people and the popular of-
ficer shook hands with all his men who were about. He will make a brief stay at the home of his wife's parents in Winchester, Mass., and will reach Norfolk on the 15th inst. The best wishes of the entire local public will go with them.

ABOUT THE STATE.

H. Jenness Paul has been appointed postmaster at Newfields. This ends a long contest for the place.

A local camera exhibition will be given in Nashua sometime during the early summer.

The checker championship game of the state opens in Manchester today. The contestants are Herman Hayes of Manchester and Joseph Hill of Laconia.

The funeral of the late Prof. Brad bary L. Cilley was held in Exeter on Monday afternoon. A memorial service took place in the academy chapel, which was filled with friends, among them being the trustees and faculty of the school, former instructors and students, and members of Mr. Cilley's class at Harvard, several coming from distant parts of the country. Many of the students came back from their vacation and attended the obsequies. The public library, of which Prof. Cilley was a trustee, the high and grammar schools and some of the places of business, were closed during the services.

Frank Adams, the youngest son of Merrick C. Adams, of the small town of Dublin, aged 15 years, committed suicide Sunday by shooting. No cause is assigned for the act.

According to the statement of President Pierce and Superintendent Pierce of the Laconia Street Railway company, the extension of the road will be completed and the trolleys running to the Weirs Memorial day. This is much earlier than it was generally supposed the road would be opened.

Prescott B. Kinsman has been appointed postmaster of Somersworth. The appointment is a great surprise, as it was supposed that the fight was between C. P. Andrews and James Locke.

Much speculation was occasioned in Concord on Monday over a report from Boston that trouble was brewing that would involve the Boston and Maine railroad and the Order of Railroad Telegraphers.

The lumbermen about Lancaster are breaking camp and coming out of the woods, their winter's work having been completed. It has been a fine season for logging and great cuts have been made.

WARD AND VOKES

What Delmonico is to the world of epicureans, Ward and Vokes are in the world of stage fun and musical farce. What Evans and Hoey were some five years ago in the world of stage fun and musical farce, Ward and Vokes are today. "The Governors," their ridiculously funny construction of wit, music, song, nonsense, laughter and surprise, will be seen at Music hall next Thursday evening, for the first time.

For the present season Ward and Vokes are surrounded by such bright lights as Lucy Daly, Sam Collins, Margaret Daly Vokes, John Keefe, Charles W. Young, Marguerite Addie, Louise Kerlin, James Cherry, Hal S. Stephens, The Boston quartet and enough more to make up thirty two people. Among the many musical numbers are "The Heroes," an original act by the gentlemen of the company, presenting counterparts of Dewey, Sampson, Schley, Hobson and Lee, with verses of each touching on the late unpleasantness; the terpsichorean conversations by Ward and Vokes, Lucy Daly and Margaret Daly Vokes; "Cinderella," by Lucy Daly and Sam Collins; "The Baby on the Shore," by Margaret Daly Vokes and John Keefe; The Boston quartet in the latest song; "Belle O'Dell," by Lucy Daly and the entire company; parodies by Chas. W. Young and James Cherry.

A COMING SOCIAL EVENT.

The Grafton Club musicale in Philbrick hall, on Thursday evening, April 6th, promises to be one of the most attractive of the season. The music department will be assisted by Miss Trowbridge of Boston, violinist; Mr. Harroun, tenor, and Mr. Montgomery, bass, of the Middle street Baptist church choir; soloists of the music department, Mrs. Owen and Mrs. Montgomery; Mrs. Thayer, pianist; a vocal sextette by Gounod, rendered by Miss Brown, Miss Kimball, Miss Mead, Miss Cotton, Miss Hall and Miss Yater. Among the features will be a selection by Mendelssohn for two pianos, played by Mrs. Kelley, Miss Page, Miss Berry and Miss Montgomery; a tarantelle by Raff, for two pianos, executed by Miss Henderson and Miss Ponder. Tickets twenty-five cents; secured at the door that evening.

The Ten-Ban for Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. 81. All druggists.

A BUNCH OF CLIPPINGS.

That She Can Keep.

A girl who claims to have two or three young men on the string usually hasn't any.—Atleticon Globe.

Guess Again.

Again Senator Hoar is a "grand old man."—Newburyport News.

Can't Have Too Many.

Arbor Day and Dewey Day come together in New Hampshire this year, and on May 1 we may look for a very general planting of trees and flagstaffs.—Manchester Union.

Pay For That Hat.

Easter has come and gone, and now what are you going to do?—Nashua Press.

That's Pretty Fast.

The Filipino capital is movable now. It travels just as fast as Aguinaldo can run.—Nashua Telegraph.

HOW THE SPANISH GUN BOAT SANDOVAL WAS CAPTURED.

There is an interesting bit of history connected with the U. S. S. Sandoval which sailed Monday from the Washington Navy yard. The vessel will be in command of Lieut. Anderson.

During the blockade of Santiago the Sandoval was lying in the upper harbor of Guantanamo bay, off the town of Caimanera. After the surrender of Santiago the commanding officer of the Sandoval was notified by a representative of General Toral, commanding at Santiago, that his ship was included in the surrender. Notice was also sent to the commanding officer of the Sandoval by the United States naval officer in command at Guantanamo. Notwithstanding this, the Sandoval was taken from her wharf to the deepest place in the harbor and there sunk, after the guns had been injured as much as possible by throwing away breech blocks, etc. The commanding officer of the Marlhead sent a party, consisting of Lieut. Boughter and 13 men, who, after 33 days of hard work, succeeded in raising the Sandoval.

AT THE NAVY YARD.

Notice of the intended sailing of the Sandoval is expected here today. Naval Constructor Tawressey, U. S. N., will be delighted with the work of lengthening the Raleigh thirty feet. The sudden death of Rear Admiral C. C. Carpenter, U. S. N., cast a gloom over the officers and men on the yard on Monday. John Dow, an apprentice pattern-maker, had the fingers on his right and badly jammed in the machinery on Saturday.

Things were unusually lively in the various departments on Monday. The departing of Major Spicer and the orders to several non-commissioned officers for Cavite made quite a stir.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. E. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

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ADJOURNED ONE WEEK.

The annual parish meeting of Christ church parish was held at the church last evening. There was a large attendance, and much enthusiasm was shown. Owing to the very large amount of business to be transacted the meeting was adjourned for one week.

WHEW!

Dispatch from Marysville, Missouri: Snow is falling fast. It lies nine inches on the level, and is obstructing railway traffic and interfering with telephone and telegraph communication. Cattle are suffering.

Eczema, scald head, hives, itchiness of the skin of any sort, instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

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Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

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BETWEEN ACTS

"A Milk White Flag" appears in Port land this evening.

A down-east town rose in rebellion the other evening against an "Uncle Tom's Cabin" outfit which charged good prices for a very putrid show.

There has been an unusually large advance sale of tickets for "Tennessee" Pardon," which appears at the City opera house in Dover this evening as a benefit for the Dover Press club.

"Under the Red Robe," one of the strongest stage attractions travelling, comes to Dover on Thursday evening, April 13.

Haverhill, Mass., has a splendid trio of plays this week in "A Milk White Flag," "Shenandoah," and "The Governors."

After four weeks at the Boston museum, playing to record-breaking receipts, Viola Allen began the fifth week of her engagement in "The Christian" Monday evening.

Elita Proctor Otis, the popular actress, is a first cousin of General Otis, the military commander of the United States forces in the Philippines.

"A Texas Story" has been booked at Berlin, N. H., for the last of this month.

NEWFIELDS.

During the past year there has been a decided increase in the public library, many books being added to the catalogue, some by purchases of the town and others by gifts of the citizens. Forty-two volumes were added and the circulation was increased by 475 volumes. The financial standing is also solid, being greatly benefitted by the Village Improvement society in its behalf last May. The trustees for the present year are George S. Paul, Harriett E. Sanborn and James H. Fitts.

The schools began the spring term Monday with the following teachers in charge: H. B. E. M. Gleason; Intermediate, Miss Harriett E. Sanborn; primary, Miss Isabel Foster.

Miss Amy N. Smith of Deerling, Me., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Jenness Paul.

Miss Alice M. Leddy passed Easter in Wakefield, Mass., where she was present at the marriage of her cousin.

George S. Fildes of Boston is spending a short period at his home in town for the benefit of his health.

NEWMARKET.

The infant child of Baptiste Laporte died Monday forenoon from membranous croup.

Miss Ida Mathes is visiting friends in Boston.

Lewis M. Rand of Boston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus R. Rand.

The ball of Tiger Hose company at the town hall on Monday evening was a pleasant affair. A large number of out-of-town guests was present. The hall was handsomely decorated, and the Newmarket Cornet band, C. J. Folds, leader, gave a concert in front of the hall before the dance. Supper was served in Grand Army hall.

Dr. J. Stanton Roberts entertained his mother, Mrs. A. S. Roberts, and his sister, Mrs. O. W. Ramsey of Rochester, on Monday.

Cure Your Bowels With Cascara. Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever! 40c. 20c. If C. C. Q. fail, druggists refund money.



THEY ALL FLED.

A Hoosier's Impression of the Aurora Borealis.

A veteran travelling man was sitting in the lobby of one of the Louisville (Ky.) hotels listening to the conversation about the recent storm. Numerous stories had been told of how persons had been almost frightened out of their wits by the roaring winds that shook the buildings to their foundations.

Like all good story tellers, who invariably wait until every one else is the crowd has drained himself of yarns authentic and otherwise, the old traveler waited in patience until "It was up to him." He removed a cigar from his lips, flipped the ashes with his little finger, placed the heels of his shoes upon the table, and tipped his chair back to an angle of forty-five degrees. Finally the old man was settled to his satisfaction, and, giving a low chuckle said:

"Your stories remind me of a little incident that I happened to witness a few years ago in one of the inland counties in Indiana. It was one winter evening in a little town in the backwoods, about forty miles from a railroad. The people living in the vicinity were, for the most part, uneducated and, of course, did not understand the phenomena of the elements. Shortly after sundown, of the day on which I am speaking, a brilliant light appeared in the northeast. At first it was not very noticeable, but in a few minutes the rays of light shot up in long lines until the entire heavens in that direction seemed ablaze. The inhabitants were thunderstruck and many thought that the day of judgment was at hand.

"I had become interested in the study of reflected lights, and after looking at the magnificent display I concluded at once that it was the aurora borealis. I had explained the theory to a large number of people who had gathered around me and had about allayed their fears when a loud, low, lantern-jawed hoosier rushed up and yelled in an excited manner:

"What in thunder is that?"

"I turned to him, and in my most suave manner replied: 'That, sir, is the aurora borealis.'

"Rooney borey thunder!" the stranger yelled, as he sized me up with contempt. 'Hell ain't four miles from here right now, pardner, and I am going to clean out of this part of the country.'

"His explanation outweighed mine, and in less time than it takes to tell all of the inhabitants of the village were taking to the hills. I was vindicated the next day, for the city paper came out telling of the aurora borealis."

The Drink a Man Needs.

An average man requires fifty-nine ounces of food per diem. He needs thirty-seven ounces of water for drinking, and in breathing he absorbs thirty ounces of oxygen. He eats as much water as he drinks, so much of that fluid being contained in various foods. In order to supply fuel for running the body machine and to make up for waste tissue he ought to swallow daily the equivalent of twenty ounces of bread, three ounces of potatoes, one ounce of butter and one quart of water. The body of a man weighing 154 pounds contains ninety-six pounds, or forty-six quarts of water.

A Rothschild Family Custom.

In the Rothschild family it is the custom at the birth of each little girl to purchase six pearls, each one costing £100. Upon every birthday six more are added to the original half dozen, so that when the young lady comes out she has presented to her a casket of magnificent and flawless gems.

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Ladies', Gents' and Children's Shoes

In the City—Rumors and Black.

We carry none but the best grades for the price:

Men's.....from \$1.25 to \$4.00

Ladies'....." 1.00 " 3.00

Boys'....." 1.00 " 2.00

"Queen Quality"—We have just received a consignment of the finest quality of American shoes of exceptional value. \$3.00 a shoe made to supply the demand for superior foot-wear on a reliable basis. Write and learn from the Street Shoe Co. how most suitable for heavy and light shoes.

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WAGES ADVANCED.

Cotton Mills of New England Under New Schedule.

THOUSANDS OF HANDS AFFECTED.

New Price List Practically Restores Wages to Normal Form Before Cutdown of 1920—Restoration Gives General Satisfaction—A Few Disappointed Cases in Fitchburg and Clinton.

Boston, April 3.—Cotton mills generally in the New England states, operating more than three-quarters of the total number of spindles in the north, this morning began work under an advanced wage schedule. The new price list in nearly all of the mills is about the same as that which existed prior to the general reduction made in the early part of 1920. It is estimated that the restoration directly affects from 130,000 to 140,000 hands employed by more than 120 corporations.

At the time the reduction was made in 1920 the average cutdown was a shade more than 10 per cent. In Fall River mills, which include 1,122,220 spindles of the 10,885,043 in New England, the reduction amounted to 11.9 per cent, but many other mills did not make so large a cut, while in a few the cutdown was even a little more than the Fall River standard.

Wages advanced last week in the Atlantic and Pacific mills of Lawrence, at the Essex Manufacturing company of Exeter, N. H., at the Pittsfield mills of Pittsfield, N. H., and one or two others.

Today the advance goes into effect in most of the cotton mills in Rhode Island, New Hampshire and Maine, as well as a large number in this state, including the corporations of Fall River, which employ more than 77,000 hands, the mills of New Bedford, employing about 9,000 hands, and those at Lowell, with from 17,000 to 20,000 operatives. Of the New Hampshire mills the Amoskeag corporation of Manchester has about 3,000 on its payroll. The 15 mills of Robert Knight, the big Rhode Island manufacturer, who has several plants in this state, are included in today's advance.

The following mills scattered throughout Massachusetts and Connecticut have also granted their employees a restoration: Naumkeag of Salem, Parkhill of Fitchburg, Hamilton of Amesbury, Lancaster of Clinton, Whitinsville, Linwood, Saundersville, Fisherville, Rockdale, Northbridge, and Slater mills of Worcester county; Cor of Taunton; Greylock of North Adams; Chicopee of Chicopee; Williamstown of Williamstown; Berkshire of North Adams; Readville of Hyde Park, Helton of Dodgeville; Quinsigamond of Danielsonville, Conn.; Williamsville of Killingly; Attawaugus; Groverdale, Ballouville and Wauregan of eastern Connecticut.

The restoration gives general satisfaction in manufacturing centers, although in a small number of places the operatives assert that the advance is not as great as the reduction of 1920. The slashers of Fall River have informed the manufacturers that they thought they had not been used just right, but no serious trouble is anticipated. The weavers of one of the Parkhill company's mills in Fitchburg have struck because the advance was not large enough to suit them, but an early adjustment is probable. There also is some dissatisfaction at the Lancaster mills in Clinton and at one or two other points.

AT FITCHBURG.

Fitchburg, Mass., April 3.—An increase of wages went into effect this morning at the Parkhill cotton mills in this city. The increase ranges from 5 to 8 per cent, and affects about 1,400 hands. The 20 weavers in mill C, who struck last week because they did not consider the announced increase sufficiently large, are still out. The employees of mills A and B are at work, and no extension of the strike is anticipated. The strikers assert that the increase does not average more than 3 1/2 per cent. over the wages of previous years, and that the last cutdown has not been restored.

NEW SCHEDULE IN EFFECT.

Salem, Mass., April 3.—At the Naumkeag Steam Cotton company's mills the new schedule of prices went into effect this morning. No percentage of the increase is given out, but it is stated by the officials that it is almost a restoration of the 10 per cent. reduction made in January, 1920. The mills employ over 1,000 hands and have been running on full time for several months past. The officials of the corporation claim that the prospect of a good season's work is excellent. The goods manufactured at this mill are extra width sheetings.

FIVE PER CENT. INCREASE.

Nashua, N. H., April 3.—The 3,000 operatives in the Jackson and Nashua Manufacturing companies' mills in this city commenced to receive a 5 per cent. increase in wages this morning. This is practically a restoration of the scale of 1917. The mill hands here are now receiving more pay than others in New England employed in the manufacture of the same class of goods. The payroll of both companies amounts to about \$25,000 weekly.

BACK TO THE OLD RATE.

Brunswick, Me., April 3.—Seven hundred operatives in the Cabot cotton mills received an increase in wages of from 6 to 10 per cent. this morning. This is practically a restoration of the wages paid before the reduction of January, 1920.

AT AUGUSTA.

Augusta, Me., April 3.—The promised increase in wages at the Edward cotton mill took effect this morning. This will affect 1,300 operatives and will make the monthly pay roll about \$500 larger than at present.

IN BLACKSTONE VALLEY.

Worcester, Mass., April 3.—An advance of 10 per cent. in wages went into effect at the following mills in the Blackstone valley today: Fitchville cotton mill, 100 hands; Saundersville cotton mill, 150 hands; Paul Whittam Manufacturing company's cotton mill, Rockdale, 200 hands; Linwood cotton mill, 100 hands; Whitinsville cotton mill, 100 hands. The rate restores the wages of January, 1920, and the mills named include nearly all the large cotton factories of southern Worcester county.

MANCHESTER'S SHARE.

Manchester, N. H., April 3.—What is practically about a 10 per cent. increase of wages went into effect today in the Amoskeag, Stark and Amory corporations and in the Manchester mills cotton department, the increase being a restoration of the wages paid before the last cut went into effect. The Amoskeag, Amory and Stark employ 10,000 operatives, and the Manchester employs 3,500, including the print works.

AT PAWTUCKET.

Pawtucket, R. I., April 3.—All the cotton factories in the Blackstone Valley resumed the wages paid before January, 1920, this morning. The increase is an extreme instance as great as 25 per cent., and from that amount down to 5 per cent. The mills affected are the Slater Cotton company in this city and the factories of the Chase's at Valley Falls and Abington and the Goddards at Lonsdale, Berkely and Ashton.

TAUNTON WORKMEN HAPPY.

Taunton, Mass., April 3.—An advance of 12 1/2 per cent. went into effect in the wages schedule of the Cor Manufacturing company today. This places the company on the same basis that was in force before the reduction that followed the Fall River reduction. The company manufactures fine cotton goods. The restoration affects 420 hands.

A VOLUNTARY INCREASE.

Bellair, O., April 3.—The employees of the Aetna-Standard Iron and Steel company's works at Aetna and Mingo, O., will today be notified of an advance in wages of 10 per cent., to go into effect immediately. The Aetna-Standard was lately purchased by the National Steel company, by which company the advance was granted. This was voluntary on the part of the company. About 4,500 men are affected.

ALL RHODE ISLAND.

Providence, R. I., April 3.—In all the cotton mills of Rhode Island the restoration of wages to the scale in force prior to January, 1920, went into effect today. The restoration is general, not a mill in the state, so far as is known, refusing to grant the increase. There was no demonstration anywhere and work is proceeding with its usual quiet.

IN WOODSOCKET.

Woonsocket, R. I., April 3.—The Social, Nouris, Globe, Eagle, Hamlet, Clinton and Valley Falls cotton mills in this city increased wages 10 per cent. this morning. Fully 3,500 operatives are affected by the increase. The Manville, Slaterville and Blackstone mills, located respectively in those villages also increased wages this morning.

BIDDEFORD AND SAGO.

Biddeford, Me., April 3.—The advanced schedule of wages in the Pepperell and Lacombe cotton mills here, and the York mills in Saco went into effect today. The raise in all cases amounts to a restoration of the wages paid prior to Jan. 17, 1920, when there was a cut-down of about 10 per cent. The mills in this city employ about 2,500, and the York mills 1,500 hands.

AT FALL RIVER.

Fall River, Mass., April 3.—The promised advance in the wages of Fall River mills took effect today. It will affect nearly 30,000 hands, and will mean an increase in wages of about \$22,000 per week. There were no unusual demonstrations this morning beyond talk among themselves about the expected increase.

INCREASED PAYROLLS.

Lowell, Mass., April 3.—The increase in the wages of employees of the seven big cotton mills went into effect today. The increase is practically a restoration of the schedule in force previous to January, 1920. It means an increase in the companies' total payrolls of \$80,000 a week and 20,000 hands are affected.

OPERATIVES REJOICE.

Lewiston, Me., April 3.—The 10 per cent. advance in wages in the Lewiston and Auburn cotton mills went into effect today and there is rejoicing among the operatives. The advance affects about 4,700 operatives, 332 males and 1,146 females.

AT SOMERSWORTH.

Somersworth, N. H., April 3.—An increase of wages ranging from 3 to 10 per cent. went into effect today at the cotton mills of the Great Falls Manufacturing company. The Great Falls mills employ 3,200 hands.

THOUSANDS BENEFITED.

New Bedford, Mass., April 3.—The increase in wages in the cotton mills of this city went into effect this morning. No special interest is observable. About 900 hands are benefited.

AN IMPORTANT DEED.

Salem, Mass., April 3.—An important deed was recorded at the local registry office this forenoon. The deed was that of 12 acres of vacant land at Beverly Farms sold by Robert Treat Paine to Edwin C. Swift of Lowell for \$120,000. The land consists of two lots, and is situated near the Paine's Crossing station. The deed had on it \$120 worth of revenue stamps.

SCHOONER IN DISTRESS.

Kennebunkport, Me., April 3.—The schooner Ripley, Captain Robbins, bound from Rockport, Me., for Boston, with a cargo of 1,000 barrels of lime, was reported off Cape Porpoise this morning in distress. Fire started in the cargo and gave the crew considerable trouble. An effort will be made to get the schooner into some harbor.

YES OR NO.

Portsmouth People Are Respectfully Asked to Answer These Questions.

Is there anything to the evidence of one's senses?
Can the reader dispute and then disprove local evidence?
Can reliance be placed upon statements from people we know?
Are the opinions of residents of Portsmouth of any greater moment than opinions held by residents of Maine and Massachusetts?

Would you sooner believe people living in these states than those in your own city?

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Biddeford, Me., April 3.—The advanced schedule of wages in the Pepperell and Lacombe cotton mills here, and the York mills in Saco went into effect today. The raise in all cases amounts to a restoration of the wages paid prior to Jan. 17, 1920, when there was a cut-down of about 10 per cent. The mills in this city employ about 2,500, and the York mills 1,500 hands.

AT FALL RIVER.

Fall River, Mass., April 3.—The promised advance in the wages of Fall River mills took effect today. It will affect nearly 30,000 hands, and will mean an increase in wages of about \$22,000 per week. There were no unusual demonstrations this morning beyond talk among themselves about the expected increase.

INCREASED PAYROLLS.

Lowell, Mass., April 3.—The increase in the wages of employees of the seven big cotton mills went into effect today. The increase is practically a restoration of the schedule in force previous to January, 1920. It means an increase in the companies' total payrolls of \$80,000 a week and 20,000 hands are affected.

OPERATIVES REJOICE.

Lewiston, Me., April 3.—The 10 per cent. advance in wages in the Lewiston and Auburn cotton mills went into effect today and there is rejoicing among the operatives. The advance affects about 4,700 operatives, 332 males and 1,146 females.

AT SOMERSWORTH.

Somersworth, N. H., April 3.—An increase of wages ranging from 3 to 10 per cent. went into effect today at the cotton mills of the Great Falls Manufacturing company. The Great Falls mills employ 3,200 hands.

THOUSANDS BENEFITED.

New Bedford, Mass., April 3.—The increase in wages in the cotton mills of this city went into effect this morning. No special interest is observable. About 900 hands are benefited.

AN IMPORTANT DEED.

Salem, Mass., April 3.—An important deed was recorded at the local registry office this forenoon. The deed was that of 12 acres of vacant land at Beverly Farms sold by Robert Treat Paine to Edwin C. Swift of Lowell for \$120,000. The land consists of two lots, and is situated near the Paine's Crossing station. The deed had on it \$120 worth of revenue stamps.

SCHOONER IN DISTRESS.

Kennebunkport, Me., April 3.—The schooner Ripley, Captain Robbins, bound from Rockport, Me., for Boston, with a cargo of 1,000 barrels of lime, was reported off Cape Porpoise this morning in distress. Fire started in the cargo and gave the crew considerable trouble. An effort will be made to get the schooner into some harbor.

TO THE GOVERNOR.

Fifth Massachusetts Regiment Returned Its Flags.

BOSTON GIVES A HEARTY WELCOME.

Thousands Cheered the Returning Volunteers—Parade Through the Streets a Continuous and Interesting Feature at the State House—Speech by Executive—Regiment Disbanded.

Boston, April 3.—Cheers from the throats of thousands of spectators signaled the arrival of the first section of the train bearing Companies A, L, E, M, C and I of the Fifth Massachusetts regiment, on their return from duty in the south, at the Southern Union station here, at 9.18 this morning. Five minutes later a second section, bearing the staff officers and Companies K, H, F, B, D and P was similarly welcomed, and the soldiers at once alighted and immediately formed for their parade to the State House to deliver their colors to Governor Wolcott.

As the regiment was mustered out at Greenville, S. C., the men were obliged to return without their arms, but they elected to maintain their organization until they reached Boston.

The citizens of Boston and the vicinity, who, several months ago, gathered along the streets to cheer the soldiers on their way south, in equal numbers thronged the pavements today to give applauding welcome to the returning militiamen. The line of march to the State House was made between crowded rows of men and women, who gave cheer after cheer and clapped their hands and waved their handkerchiefs in cordial greetings. Flags were displayed and other emblems of patriotism were often seen. At the State House Governor Wolcott, with his entire staff, headed by Adjutant General Dalton, were waiting to review the regiment. The soldiers marched in three sections, each headed by a band.

The greatest throng of spectators was in the vicinity of the State House. As the regiment approached, the Governor and his attendants marched down the steps to the sidewalk, where they stood for the review. Colonel Whitney and the officers of the various companies, who wore their slacks, saluted as they passed. The Governor acknowledged the action by lifting his hat.

After the regiment had passed, a counter march was ordered, and the companies formed for dress parade in front of the State House.

Colonel Whitney ordered the flags "to the front and center." The buglers saluted the colors, amid loud cheers of the spectators. Colonel Whitney and an orderly with the colors, which included the State and American flags, advanced towards Governor Wolcott, and Colonel Whitney said:

"Your Excellency—Some nine months ago we were presented with this set of colors. Today we return them—a little the worse for wear, but as unsullied as when we received them."

"The governor uncovered as the flags were presented. He received them from the orderly and passed them to Colonel Blood of his staff. Colonel Whitney then said:

"Your Excellency—In evidence of our condition, we thought it best to report to you in person, so that you could see for yourself. We return even stronger than when we went away."

The Governor, in reply, spoke as follows:

"Colonel Whitney and Officers and Men of the Fifth Massachusetts Regiment—After your duty at the front and your honorable service, the old commonwealth extends to you a heartfelt welcome home. The people of the old commonwealth have followed your steps with intense interest and pride. It has not been your privilege to exhibit courage and valor in actual contact with the enemy, but the post of duty for the soldier is wherever the government in its wisdom sends him."

"I receive, Colonel Whitney, from your hands, the flags which were presented to you when you started for the front. I wish there were no vacancies in any of your ranks. Yet, your hearts will always cherish the memory of those who left behind."

"I welcome you to the commonwealth, and receive you with pride as citizens of the old bay state and as former members of the Massachusetts militia."

As the Governor closed, Colonel Whitney called for three cheers for "the war governor of Massachusetts." They were given with spirit.

Colonel Whitney then spoke to the regiment, thanking the men for their conduct during the nine months they had been in camp, and with three cheers for Colonel Whitney the regiment broke ranks.

The following is a list of the staff, officers and the companies and their places of destination:

Colonel Johnathan H. Whitney, Lieutenant Colonel E. M. Weaver, Majors Walter E. Morrison, Linwood E. Hanson, staff; Major Frederick W. Ward, surgeon; First Lieutenant William E. McPherson, assistant surgeon; First Lieutenant George P. Buchner, quartermaster; First Lieutenant Fred T. Austin, adjutant; Edwin L. House, chaplain; Company A, Charlestown, Captain Willis W. Stover.

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Ordinary household accidents have no to core when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the medicine chest.

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Special Chicago Letter.]

been many, many months have wandered into the realm of children's clothes, and as it is one of the most delightful topics to write about, I shall endeavor to per amends for my seeming in this matter, and tell you all that I am able to glean concerning the latest and coming fashions for children's clothes, like the



GOWN FOR A DAINTY MAID.

themselves, require the greatest attention, for in its active life the healthy, growing child needs many changes, and reason it is necessary that the detail of his or her wardrobe be given constant consideration "and

somewhat easy matter these fashionably attire the small morning's visit to the up-to-date shop and the whole quickly and well done, but in

of the little girl the mother quite a different matter. To be all large cities there are many other large and small, that cater to the want of the small woman, but as not the plainly-fashioned, of garments offered for sale such inferior material and so

made that they would prove any price, while on the other any of the prettiest and most models are so elaborate in design, so high in price as to be quite beyond the reach of age group. For this, and other as well, many mothers prefer their children's clothes themselves, at least have the work done at their own supervision; and many women a few opportunities as regards children's fashions, to prove uninteresting reading

particular time. A most careful inspection of all the now on exhibition, both in the domestic, one cannot be convinced of the fact that never children's fashions prettier or appropriate for their purpose the present moment, and those supposed to know all about the matter claim that the season will see few if any models from the styles that now prevail so during these quiet Lenten

prudent, far-seeing mother than her little girl's summer

terial is well worth a description. The color was a bright geranium red. The skirt was quite plain and full, after the housemaid type, the bodice a simple baby one, made with a deep yoke of white lace, and the neck finished with a narrow frill of chiffon; the sleeves were full, ending at the elbow with an accordion-plaited frill of the same, while at the waist was a broad scarf of the same scarlet chiffon tied in a big soft bow at the back, with long flowing ends. Scarlet silk stockings and slippers accompanied this well little gown, and added much to the general good effect.

Some jaunty little spring coats for the small man's and woman's wear have put in an appearance during the past week, and are the smartest-looking things yet seen. They are made of both rough and smooth-faced cloth, and are as finely tailored throughout as they could possibly be even if intended for the grown-up. They are cut to reach just to the knee and are almost tight-fitting, and come in three lovely shades, dark red, deep blue and the new shade of gray. Some have triple capes, which reach to the shoulder, similar to those now worn, and are trimmed with rows upon rows of narrow silk braid. Others have a sharply pointed hood at the back lined with silk, matching in color the braid used in the trimming, which in coats of this latter description usually takes the form of a somewhat showy pattern, running down either side of the front, and on the upper part of the sleeve.

In decidedly sharp contrast to these little coats I have so meagerly described are the new cloth redingotes for girls whose ages range from eight to twelve years. They are severely plain, but perfect in fit and finish, and are an exact counterpart of what their elders will wear later on.

Most mothers find it a most difficult matter to properly and becomingly dress a girl who has arrived at the sweet-sixteen period of her life. She does not wish her gowns to err on the side of too much youthfulness, neither does she enjoy seeing her tricked out in garments only suitable to one twice her age. It is, however, the happy medium that has been struck in the gown given in the picture. Surely nothing could be more sweetly girlish than such a frock, the only indication of dressiness being found in the transparent lace yoke and sleeves, while just the one needed touch of color is found in the pale blue, tone of the chiffon sash.

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THE FRENCH SENATE.

Clement Armand Fallieres Elected President to Succeed M. Lucie Loubet.

Clement Armand Fallieres has been elected president of the senate by a vote of 151. For M. Constans 55 votes were cast.

M. Fallieres has been a political factor for nearly 25 years, though he is not quite 60 years old. He was born in Me in November 6, 1811 studied law, was admitted to the bar at Nérac, and was elected mayor of Paris May 25, 1875. At the elections in the following spring he was elected to the chamber of deputies as a republican by 876 votes against 6,442 cast for his Bonapartist opponent.

In the national legislature Fallieres joined the group of the republican left.



M. CLEMENT A. FALLIERES, (Just Elected President of the French Senate.)

He jumped into prominence at once as an orator. After the act of May 16, 1877, he was one of the 363 leftists who refused a vote of confidence in the De Broglie cabinet. In the fall of the same year he was reelected deputy by 8,955 votes against 6,810 cast for the candidate of the government.

In the new chamber Fallieres followed the same political lines as the moderate republicans. May 17, 1880, he was appointed under secretary of state. He left the cabinet, together with the other members of the Jules Ferry ministry, November 10, 1881, having been reelected to the chamber of deputies a few months before.

He returned to power as minister of the interior in the Duclerc cabinet, and when Duclerc resigned as prime minister on account of ill health Fallieres became president of the cabinet, taking charge of the portfolio of foreign affairs at the same time. He resigned, together with the whole cabinet, January 29, 1883, because the senate refused to accept his bill directed against pretenders to the throne of France.

When Jules Ferry, minister of public instruction, resigned this portfolio to become minister of foreign affairs, Fallieres November 20, 1883, was called to replace Ferry in the former capacity, but resigned with the rest of the Ferry cabinet in 1885. He served again as member of the cabinet in 1887 in the Rouvier ministry; was called by President Carnot in 1887 to construct a cabinet of his own, but did not succeed, served as minister of public instruction in the Tirard cabinet in 1888, was retained in the Freycinet cabinet in 1890, and was elected in December, 1891, member of the senate, of which he is now president.

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Well-Known Citizen of Indiana Has Just Been Appointed Postmaster at Havana, Cuba.

Edward Payne Thompson, who has just been appointed postmaster at Havana, has a splendid record in the postal service, and is a thorough master of its details and its requirements. In 1866 he was made assistant postmaster of Indianapolis, Ind., and held the position continuously until 1885. In 1889 he was restored to his old place, and for the past eight years he has himself held the position of postmaster, to which he was appointed by President Harrison on the death of Postmaster Wallace. He organized the carrier service of Indianapolis, and no one has been able to improve upon his work. The first routes exist to-day precisely as he planned them. Mr. Thompson was born in 1841 at Salem, Ind., and was educated in the college that is now De Pauw. He served in the Indiana volunteers during the war, and was afterwards connected with the army as a citizen. Mr. Thompson's father was one of the founders of the state of Indiana. He served in the war of 1812 and was with William Henry Harrison at Tippecanoe. He held public office for nearly 40 years. The son inherits his ability.

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MARRIAGE A FAILURE.

Chicago Lawyer Charges His Wife with Shutting Him Up Secretly to a Folding Bed.

Because, as he alleges, his wife closed him up in a folding bed and afterward chased him about their home with a bread knife, and on account of other cruel facts, Herman Jacobson, a lawyer living at 607 Sangamon street, Chicago, is seeking a divorce in Judge Bell's court. Mr. Jacobson is a Jew, and his wife, who was formerly Anna C. Callaghan, is said to be of Irish extraction, and so their difference in religious belief the complainant assigns all of the trouble from which the divorce proceedings result. Mr. Jacobson refused to talk about the case further than to say: "Mar-



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ried life is torture, and I have found it to be a failure."

The Jacobsons were married in 1888 and lived together until last September, when a separation took place and divorce proceedings were begun. The head of the family was the complainant, and he alleged in his bill that his wife was cruel to him, and that on one occasion, two years ago, after a religious discussion, he retired to a folding bed and was almost asleep when his wife lifted the folding part of the bed with his occupant and securely shut him up, head downward. He says one of his legs protruded and was crushed so as to leave him in a crippled condition. His cries for help, he says, brought his niece to his aid, after 15 minutes of suffering in the bed, and he was released. He asks for the custody of his ten-year-old child.

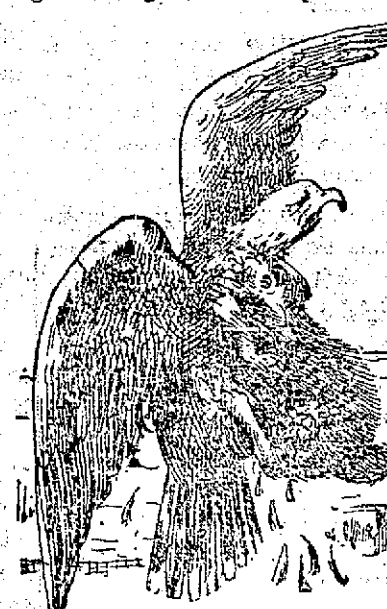
Mrs. Jacobson filed a cross bill in the case and denied all of the allegations of the complainant. She asked that she be divorced from her husband on the ground of cruelty and that she be given the custody of the child. She alleges that her husband beat and struck her and throw a cup of hot coffee at her head. The case is on hearing.

VICTORY IN MIDAIR.

Passy is Carried Away by an Eagle, But Retained by Cutting the Big Bird's Throat.

A tiger cat belonging to Farmer Hazard, of Herrick, Susquehanna county, Pa., was strolling out toward the barn a few days ago, carrying in her teeth a piece of meat for her young. A bald eagle which had been hovering over the farm for a week suddenly descended upon her and whirled her upward in a rapid vertical flight.

The path of ascent to the eye of a spectator watching the scene, was clearly indicated by loose feathers violently tossed from the point of combat. In a brief time the struggling pair came to a standstill in the sky. The eagle's wings had drooped now and



THE CAT WON.

then, and he had given plain evidence of pain and terror, yet not once had his awful grip appeared to relax. At length a descent was begun with a rapidity which increased every moment, and the two animals struck the ground at the point where they had at first encountered each other, but the eagle was dead, and the cat, as soon as she felt terra firma beneath her feet, shot away for the barn, still carrying her bit of meat.

Investigation proved that the cat had cut the eagle's throat and so lacerated its breast that its body was literally laid open. After the death in midair, however, the cat had been too clever to relax her hold and thus fall to the ground, but had let her enemy serve as a parachute to ease her descent.

The cat is none the worse for her aerial flight and battle.

When the President Dines.

A Story with a Moral.

JUST LIKE A MAN.

Took Advantage of His Wife's Absence To Clean His Bike in the Kitchen.

"Pa took his wheel all to pieces yesterday," said Johnnie, "an' fixed it all up good. Ma was off over to the city, so pa used the kitchen."

"I told him I guessed ma would be mad 'cause she'd just got it all cleaned up, but he said he couldn't help it if she was mad, he'd got to have some place to do it in. He got a nice big piece of cloth an' went to work. Pa used a pile of oil on his wheel an' there was an' orfation of drops got on the floor, an' he spilled 'most a cup of kerosene, too, but he popped it all up with his rag, an' he said it would be all dried up by the time ma got home, but I want, just the same."

"He got it 'most done when ma come, an' you'd just ought to see how mad she was. She called him 'John Henry,' an' she's always orf an' mad when she calls him that, an' she hollered like everything when she seen the rag he was usin'." She said it was one of her best pillow shams.

"Pa said it was full o' holes anyway, and ma said 'twas holes, 'twas open work, an' pa said all the holes he ever seen was open work. An' he said he hadn't hurt the old thing anyway, 'cause she could wash it right out."

"An' ma said the grease and black on that sham wouldn't never come off in the Lord's world, an' she said if pa ever fixed his old machine in her kitchen again, she'd burn the thing up. She said 'twould take her a week scrubbin' an' scourin' to get the oil an' grease out o' the kitchen floor, an' she said she wouldn't slave so for no man livin'." She said if the wood shed wasn't good enuf for such nasty work he could do it out in the yard, but if he ever did it in the kitchen agin she'd make him sorry for it.

"Pa said he didn't doubt 't all, an' then he went off to ride an' ma went to cleanin' up the kitchen."

"But pa got his wheel fixed up awful good, all the samey."

Street Car Driver's Philosophy.

"It's not so easy as you'd s'pose," remarked the driver with a jerk of the reins and a chuck that urged his team to a livelier pace. "These car horses has all the feelings of any other kind of a horse." They has to get use to their work, an' you'd be s'prised to see, how the young ones 'll shy at a switch."

The car just then approached a parting of tracks. Apparently there was no suggestion by reins or voice. The horses of their own accord bore off sharply to one side. There was a musical clanking of iron as the hoofs of the outside horse struck a metal plate in the pavement. Then horses and car proceeded on their appointed way.

"That's the way the old ones does it," commented the driver. "They know what they're up to. But sometimes a green horse can't be made to take the switch as he should. He'll shy and dance around it, like it was a hole in a bridge, an' you've got to eddicate him to it."

"How do we learn him wot to do? We hitch him up along of an old reliable that knows the trick an' will crowd him out onto the switch plate every time. The youngster'll start an' jump an' either tremble or try to run. But somehow, after awhile, he comes to understand that it's all right, an' there you are. No more swearin' and pullin' the reins for you. The animal'd rather take the switch than not. It's a change from the plain tracks an' 't s'pose it occupies his mind."

Strut in a Sentence.

The game of chess is taught in all the Austrian schools.

Bank of England notes are numbered backward—from 10,000, hence the figures, 000,91.

One out of every six inhabitants in France has an account at the state savings banks.

The customs authorities have decided that the Chinese tom-tom is a musical instrument.

There are said to be fewer suicides among miners than among any other class of workmen.

The average length of human life in the sixteenth century was only eighteen to twenty years.

Thirty million oysters are annually sent to England from the basin of Archachon, in the Bay of Biscay.

A single plate of armor for the turret of the battleship Kearsarge weighed thirty-three and one-third tons.

It takes, it is said the tusks of 75,000 elephants a year to supply the world's piano keys, billiard balls and knife handles.

The moon revolves from one point in the heavens to the same point in twenty-seven days, seven hours and forty-three minutes.

The school children of Newark, N. J., have voted in favor of the maple as their favorite for state tree, giving it 6,927 votes.

A Few Truths.

Too often we mistake companions for friends.

Talent teaches us what to do—fact tells us what not to do.

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THE HERALD.

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A MATTER OF HABIT.



Miss F.—Why, what is the matter with little Mabel?
Ethel (whose father has just made his third matrimonial venture)—Oh, never mind her. She always cries that way when papa gets married.—Harlem Life.

Compensation.
The czar of the Russias, or so they say, gets twenty-five thousand dollars a day. The writer of these lines doesn't get that much, but he has more fun, you bet!—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Keeping Company.
"They kept company for a long time before they were married."
"Yes, and they've kept it most of the time since. Her relatives seem bound to live on them."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

HERE AND THERE

The hustling housewives are beginning the spring cleaning.
The sleighing still holds on in the country districts, although it is beginning to grow a trifle thin in places.

Watch the showers and sunshine of April tackle the big drifts.
"A fool and his flannels are soon parted" and "It isn't spring because the almanac says so," are proverbs to be remembered at this time.

William Rayno, who served with the First New Hampshire volunteers in the Spanish-American war, has been admitted to the Soldiers' Home at Tilton. He is the first soldier to be admitted since the war with Spain.

There are now fifteen golf links in the state, supported by organized clubs, among which is the Rye Beach Golf club, formed in '97.

"TO ERR IS HUMAN."

People like to talk about attractive things in advertising. In a company recently the proverb above quoted, and which appeared at the head of one of a well constructed series of advertisements of Hood's Sarsaparilla, was so much discussed that we doubt if any one there will ever forget the source whence it came. Messrs. Hood & Co., are using these proverb advertisements on a very broad scale, and they are attracting discussion and favorable comment everywhere.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

The Board of Assessors of the City of Portsmouth will be in session for the purpose of receiving the inventories and of hearing any statements of the taxpayers that may be legally brought before it on the evenings of Monday, April 10th, 17th and 24th, and May 1st, from 7:30 until ten o'clock.

C. DWIGHT HANCOCK,
Secretary.

BITTEN BY A DOG.

A young daughter of Stacy Hall was badly bitten by a dog belonging to Daniel Brooks, at Marston's island, on Monday. The animal leaped at her face, causing ten severe wounds, which required as many stitches to close. Dr. W. O. Jenkins of this city was summoned. The child will undoubtedly be permanently disfigured. The dog has never been considered vicious, and may have been in play when it injured her.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Today, and every day next week, our advertised agents, the Globe Grocery Co., will sell you a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, "The Best Salve in the World," and guarantee it to cure Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or money refunded.

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MECHANICS' ENTERTAINED.

At the regular meeting of Freedom Council, American Mechanics, held on Monday evening, the members were treated to a magic lantern exhibition after the business was transacted. Refreshments were also served and a very pleasant evening passed.

It's the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

THE FORESTERS' DANCE.

Court Rockingham Holds Its Eleventh Annual Ball in Peirce Hall.

The eleventh annual ball of Court Rockingham, No. 6, A. O. O. F., was held in Peirce hall on Monday evening. It was a notable success in every particular. The dancers were present in force and excellent music inspired them, while the galleries were crowded with interested on-lookers.

The stage was prettily decorated with evergreen trees. Upon it was stationed Joy & Philbrick's orchestra. The following pleasing vocal programme was rendered prior to the dancing:

"Face to Face," Mr. P. E. Kane
"Son Tom," Mr. F. Carroll
"O, Nightingale, Sing On," Miss Mary McCarthy
"Queen of the Earth," Mr. McLin

The grand march was led by Mr. Dennis Leahy and Miss Annie Lynch. They were followed by 125 couples. The order of dances comprised a variety calculated to please the most fastidious.

The affair was in charge of the following:

Chief Marshal, Dennis J. Leahy;
Assistant Marshals, Thos. A. Moran, John Riordan, John E. Meegan;
Aids, Patrick E. Kane, John F. Leahy, Geo. F. Randall, John Leahy, Thos. W. Mahoney, John F. Elwood, Francis P. Clair, Daniel Cogan, Geo. F. Snow, Louis Barutio, Henry Moran, Frank E. Whitman, Fred Henderson, Wm. H. Jones, Francis T. Quinn, Patrick Flanagan, Eugene J. Sullivan, Wm. T. Foley, John W. Murphy, Daniel F. Collins, Jeremiah Lyons.

Reception Committee, Wm. H. Moran, Wm. Cogan, Jas. T. Whitman, M. J. Leahy, Dennis McGrath, Wm. Casey, John J. Smart, Mortimer L. Raynes, John P. Hayes, Wm. Ballard, Thos. J. Leahy, Charles McCarthy, Thomas H. Sheridan, Chas. H. Miller, Robert J. Donnelly, Dr. John Mullen, Dennis J. Carroll, Chas. P. Carroll, Michael P. Canby, Dr. Wm. H. Lyons, Richard Donovan, John Griffin, Patrick Hennessey, Samuel Shields, Jas. D. Brooks, M. J. Leahy, P. T. McWilliams, Michael Hurley, Dennis J. Long, Daniel J. Falvey.

ANNUAL MEETINGS OF FIRE COMPANIES.

The annual meetings of all the fire companies were held on Monday evening at the headquarters and the regular election of officers took place. The meetings were followed with a lunch which was served at the expense of the officers.

W. J. SAMPTON & SONS, NO. 1.

Captain, C. A. Humphreys;
Lieutenant, W. F. Woodie;
Clerk, David B. Jenkins;
Steward, Willis F. Pinder.

COL. SISE, S. F. E. CO., NO. 2.

Captain, Fred D. Rand;
Lieutenant, F. E. Perkins;
Clerk, Willard M. Gray;
Steward, C. W. Weaver.

KEARSARGE S. F. E. CO., NO. 3.

Captain, J. Wallace Lear;
Lieutenant, Calvin D. Lear;
Clerk, M. L. Raynes;
Pipeman, Fred N. Jones.

At the close of the meeting Chief Engineer Eugene J. Sullivan was a guest of the company at a lunch served at Ham's, and he was given a royal send-off. Chief Sullivan was one of the most popular men that ever enrolled his name on the Kearsarge roll and the boys are proud of him.

M. H. GOODRICH S. F. E. CO., NO. 4.

Captain, Levi Little;
Lieutenant, J. M. Varrell;
Clerk, A. F. Barr;
Steward, F. D. Jones;
Pipeman, E. A. Woods.

Fred Manson was voted in as a member in place of Charles H. Kehoe, who was elected assistant engineer.

A decidedly interesting incident of the meeting was the presentation to Charles H. Kehoe, for twelve years past a member of the company, nine of which he had filled the position of clerk, and who has been appointed on the board of engineers, of a magnificent solid gold chain and charm by the members of the company. The presentation speech was made by Ex-Assistant Charles F. Lydston, a veteran member of the company, and was a beautiful tribute to the world and excellence of the genial and popular clerk, and reflected much credit upon Mr. Lydston and the gallant firemen whose spokesman he was. Mr. Kehoe was completely surprised and it is not to his discredit to say that, for some moments, he was completely overcome and could hardly find words to express his appreciation for the kindness and good-fellowship which prompted his comrades to present him with a magnificent gift. His words finally came, however, and the fire laddies of No. 4 listened to as good a speech as has been heard in their cosy quarters for many a day. After the presentation the members repaired to their hall overhead and sat down to a fine banquet which was enjoyed to a late hour. The

watch chain and charm presented to Mr. Kehoe is a most beautiful and costly present and embodies the emblem of the various societies of which he is a member.

CITY BRIEFS.

Pension day today.
Mayflower hunters are beginning to get in their work.

The firemen were much in evidence on Monday evening.

Moving day is near and the house hunter is abroad once more.

The Portsmouth and Exeter bowlers meet here tomorrow evening.

Enthusiastic bicyclists are doing considerable riding about the city.

Regular meeting this evening of General Gilman Marston Command.

The Boston & Maine railroad agents will meet in Concord on April 15th.

The first apple blossom of the season is still nothing more than a bit of imagination.

Don't forget the millinery opening at Mrs. B. F. Lombard's on Friday and Saturday.

The "S. G." Londres is made of the choicest stock and is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

The dust was blowing about lively on Congress street on Monday, causing much discomfort to pedestrians.

The work of replanking Sagamore bridge was completed on Monday evening and the workmen were discharged.

Have your shoes repaired by John W. Mott, 34 Congress street. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hand sewed work a specialty.

Michael E. Long has purchased the Giddings house on Summer street, which he will move into at an early date.

Arrived today, schooner S. E. Greeley, Capt. Blake, from Newport News, with 1977 tons of coal for J. A. & A. W. Walker.

Chief Engineer Eugene J. Sullivan had a telephone put in his house on Monday and is now prepared for any emergency.

The amount of mail matter hauled at the postoffice the past few days was unusually large, owing to the Easter remembrances.

In the P. A. C. whist tournament on Monday evening, Howard and Moynahan defeated the leaders, Tibbets and Fisher, 30 to 29.

The members of the Grafton club are delightful entertainers and their musical on Thursday evening is sure to attract a large audience.

The People's church sewing circle will hold its fair on April 6. A burlesque fan drill will be given, and a cake walk by two little girls.

About forty young people of this city went to Kittery Point on Monday evening and greatly enjoyed a dancing party held at Hotel Champernowne.

Rider & Cotton make their annual bicycle announcement in another column. They carry an immense stock of the leading grades of bicycles.

Trout fishing enthusiasts are enduring the torments of Tantalus just now. The season is "open" and they are anxious to fish, but the brooks are all tightly closed with ice.

Last year's hay crop was a record breaker and there is every indication that it will be followed, this year, by another good one. The winter has been just right for the grass roots.

Masons and others, building or making repairs, can be sure of getting fresh stock of J. A. & A. W. Walker, who are now receiving the first spring consignment of lime, cement and hair.

It is beanblower time now and every boy has to be armed and equipped as juvenile law directs. Beanblowers are plenty, but mothers' beans are scarce after the hopeful of the family get after them. Let her go, boys, but look out for the eyes of people.

NEW TEACHERS.

Owing to the large increase in the number of scholars in the kindergarten classes in the public schools, extra teachers had to be secured and on Monday Miss Mabel Luce of Jamaica Plain, Mass., reported here to assist at the Cabot street school, Miss Wood of Boston at the Haven school and Miss Jymar of Modford, Mass., at the Farragut school, taking the place of Miss Edith Brewster, who resigned on account of ill health.

AT CITY HALL.

The joint committee on finance of the city councils held a meeting on Monday evening and began consideration of the annual appropriation bill.

The board of assessors held its first meeting for regular work in making up the tax lists on Monday evening.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.
To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedial Co., Chicago or New York.

PERSONALS.

J. Clifford Sampson returned to Boston this morning.

Ex-mayor John S. Tilton passed Tuesday in Boston.

Civil Engineer Thompson of the Boston & Maine R. R. is in town.

Rear Admiral Henry B. Roberson, U. S. N., who has been placed on the retired list, now resides at Walpole.

Heber: Taylor of Tuft's Medical college, who has been spending a few days in this city, has returned to Boston.

Robert J. Donnelly of the Boston navy yard was in town on Monday evening and attended the Foresters' ball.

Mr. M. M. Collis went to Palmer, Mass., on Monday to attend the funeral of his step mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Collis.

B. F. Lombard, the well known Vaughan street merchant, suffered a relapse on Monday and now lies critically ill.

Mr. Frank Staples today went to So. Berwick to attend the session of the finance committee of the U. O. G. C. of Maine.

Theodore E. Parker, Jr., of Lowell, Mass., assistant superintendent of the New England Telephone and Telegraph company, was in town today.

Carroll Carpenter of Philadelphia is at his home on Middle street, called here by the death of his father, Rear Admiral Carpenter.

Clerk Cotten of the B. and M. construction gang in this city left today for Northampton, Mass., where he will be stationed during the summer.

E. O. Sessions arrived at his home in this city on Monday evening on a few days' visit. He is on his way to Montreal on a business trip for the electrical company whom he represents.

Mr. Charles H. Ramsdell, the popular steward at the Oceanic, Isles of Shoals, has returned from Boston, where he has engaged help for that hostelry, and has gone to the Shoals to prepare for the summer season.

A RIPE OLD AGE.

Mrs. Lucy Adrian Ham, one of Portsmouth's oldest residents, on Sunday quietly celebrated her ninety-second birthday at her home, the Gov. Woodbury mansion, on Woodbury avenue.

In appearance she looks not more than sixty-five or seventy, and retains all her faculties, except her hearing, which is slightly impaired and was caused by a severe fall thirty years ago.

Mrs. Ham was born in Greenland on April 23, 1807, being the daughter of Mark and Deborah Lang Akerman.

When she was two years old her parents moved to this city and she has since resided here.

She plainly recalls incidents connected with the big fire in 1813, and also Gen. Lafayette's visit to this city.

In 1839 she was married to Asa Ham, and two children were born. One died when six years of age, and the remaining child, Miss Sarah E. Ham, is now her mother's constant companion.

Mr. Ham died several years ago, aged eighty-seven, the couple having celebrated their golden wedding in 1887. The Woodbury mansion, where Mrs. Ham and her daughter reside, has been in the care of the family for many years, Judge Levi Woodbury making occasional visits to it when alive.

POLICE NOTES.

There were fourteen lodgers at the station Monday night.

The police as yet have not the slightest clew to the man who made the attempt on Special Officer Hodgkins' life last Friday evening.

The two drunks arrested by Officers Quinn, Burns and Robinson on Monday were discharged this morning without a trial.

George Tunnesen, a sailor who drank too much, was held at the police station today, on the request of his captain, who wanted him sober when the ship left port.

Herbert Dukeshire was arrested on Monday afternoon on a warrant sworn out by his wife, charging him with mispending his earnings. He was not tried this morning, because he came to a settlement with his wife.

ORDERED TO CAVITE AT ONCE.
Sergeants Montier and Frelich, and Corporals Cutler and Anderberg, U. S. M. C., received orders on Monday for Cavite, Manila. They will leave on Thursday for San Francisco, Cal., where they are to take passage on the transport Newport with a battalion of 250 marines.

Anderberg was the orderly sergeant on the yard launch and all have hosts of friends here.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral service of the late Rear Admiral Charles C. Carpenter will be held at St. John's church tomorrow, Wednesday, at 12 o'clock, noon.

THE CENSUS OF 1900

Congressman Salloway Says New Hampshire Will Get Few Plumes Out of it

Congressman Salloway told a man recently that he did not expect New Hampshire would get practically any patronage from the opening of the census bureau for 1900. That is, he further explained, there will be few, if any, called to assist in the work from New Hampshire besides the state supervisor and the enumerators. The state supervisor will, of course, be a New Hampshire resident, and a man of acknowledged ability. The supervisor will appoint his own assistants and also the enumerators, one for every district of a certain population. There will be many of these, but their jobs will not be lengthy nor the pay so large that the jobs will be worth of much haste in the seeking.

POLICE COURT.

George E. Lyman was arraigned before Judge Emery this morning, on the charge of having defrauded Landlord Cotton of the Langdon and Kearsarge out of a board bill amounting to about sixty dollars. Lyman was defended by Hon. Calvin W. Page and City Solicitor Emery appeared for the prosecution.

Lyman disclaimed any intention of beating Mr. Cotton out of his money. He had remained in town ever since he left the hotel and had tried to see the landlord several times. Judge Emery judged him not guilty and discharged him.

THE WEBSTER BIRTHPLACE.

It is probable that the movement started a few months ago for the purchase of the Daniel Webster birthplace will culminate in the public ownership of the property soon. Several interested persons are considering the formation of a Webster association, which shall raise the necessary purchase price, \$3000, and fit the place up as a public attraction.

THAT COLD HANGS ON.

The Della Fox company left on the 11.16 a. m. train for Lawrence, Mass., where it will play tonight. Miss Fox, owing to a severe cold, was not able to go with the company, but left this afternoon to join them.—Exeter paper.

JURORS DRAWN.

Clerk Albert H. Entwistle drew the following jurors on Monday evening: Grand, James A. N. Kugg; T. L. Hersey and John Mahoney petit, for the April term of court at Exeter.

"One Grain Fills not a Sack, But Helps Its Fellows."

In Spring work, we sow grain and expect a harvest. The cloddy ground is plowed, harrowed and cross-harrowed until with proper fertilizing it is in condition to respond heartily. How about your blood? It should have attention; the clods of impurity need dissolving and purifying with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

If this is done, the grains of health (corpuscles of blood) will bring you into a perfect state, making you better fitted for life's duties and pleasures. Hood's never disappoints.

Sore Eyes.—Humor in the blood makes my daughter's eyes sore, so that we feared blindness, until Hood's Sarsaparilla made her entirely well. E. B. Gibson, Henniker, N. H.

Erysipelas.—"My little girl is now fat and healthy on account of Hood's Sarsaparilla curing her of erysipelas and eczema. It is our family medicine, as we all take it." Mrs. H. W. Wrentham, Fort Chester, N. Y.

Catarrh.—"I was so low with catarrh that I could not get around the house. Tried all sorts of remedies. Hood's Sarsaparilla was the last. It cured me." Mrs. CHARLES RHYNE, 333 Oak Lane, York, Pa.

Dyspepsia.—"We all use Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cured my brother-in-law, my mother of dyspepsia. I owe my life to it." M. H. KIRK, 607 Franklin St., Philadelphia.

Sick Headache.—"Dizziness, loss of appetite and sick headache made me discouraged. Hood's Sarsaparilla made me better at once. Would not be without it." Mrs. MARY SWENSON, Rutland, Vt.

Nervousness.—"I was weak, nervous and very delicate, staggered in attempting to walk. Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills made me well. I feel like another person." Mrs. LIZZIE SHERBERT, Conduit Street, Exet., Annapolis, Md.

Scrofula.—"Rob, our little boy had the grip, which was followed by a mass of scrofulous sores. After trying other medicines without avail, Hood's Sarsaparilla made a perfect cure. It is a great blood purifier." Mrs. E. SNOW, Thompsonville, Del.

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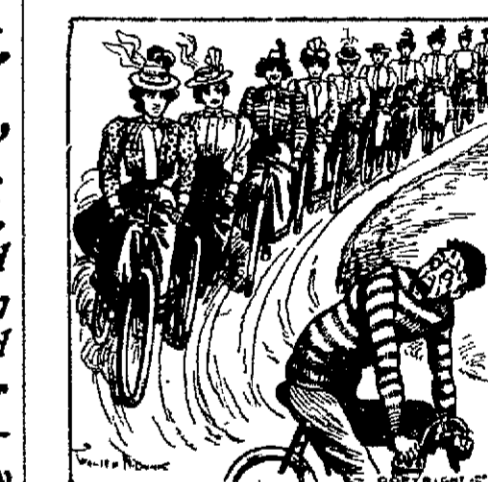
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